*Brave New World* Final Assessment Options

For the final assessment, you will choose a single, repetitive word from Huxley's text. You will need to obtain my approval of this word; you may do so during the designated class time. Remember, you must show textual *evidence* (page numbers!) that supports your argument about this single word. Also, recall that you are required to complete all three options over the course of the semester. I will give you opportunities to do so along with the assigned texts. Strategize and put forth your **best** work as you see fit. Refer to the Summary of Texts as needed to gather an understanding of what options you'd like to take with what texts. All grammar, usage, and mechanics (G.U.M.) rules apply for all options. Follow MLA format: 12-pt font size, Arial or Times New Roman, page numbers, and double-spaced.

**Option #1: The Traditional Essay.** You will write **a 5-6 page** paper based on the instructions above. Your paper does not have to follow the 5-paragraph model, but you must have an introduction (with an argumentative thesis statement), a body, a conclusion, and a works cited page (which does not count for the 4-5 page requirement).

**Option #2: The Multigenre Project.** You will choose **8 genres** to explore the *BNW* word that you choose. A *Dear Reader* or Preface piece must introduce your project. You must also incorporate one page of at least one *informative* genre (newspaper article, essay, magazine article, etc). You must also create at least one "extended" literary piece, such as a dramatic play, a short story, or a memoir. One piece must be visual like a digital image or a photo you've taken. The other genres are up to your choosing; see my box of poetry templates located in the classroom to seek inspiration and to learn different poem formats. Feel free to ask for guidance. A handout with a list of genres will be handed out. I would also like a *one-two paragraph reflection* of the project, answering the question of your liking/disliking of this process.

**Option #3: The Multimedia Project.** You will create a **5-7 minute** multimedia presentation that surrounds your single word from *BNW*. A one-page written summary and reflection of your video is also required. Let your creative juices flow! Rule: You cannot use any copyrighted materials; you must re-create or re-brand your props, etc. in order to steer clear of infringement issues.

\*Upon deciding which option you would like to pursue (along with your chosen *BNW* single word), please let me know during the designated class time. If you have any questions, feel free to ask! You may e-mail me with questions, if you need my immediate assistance (24-48 hrs). I highly recommend that you stick with your option choice upon decision-making.